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MOUNTAIN SCENERY. The Scenery of Western North Carolina and Western South Carolina.

WORK upon the Scenery of the Blue Ridge and its various ranges of Mountains will be published early in January. The following will be its contents:

- Chap. I.—Introduction. Chap. II.—Asheville. Chap. III.—Routes to reach Asheville.—The Swanton Gap Road.

PROSPECTUS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA JOURNAL OF EDUCATION FOR 1859. THE Second Volume of the Journal will commence with the next year, and the first number will be published about the middle of January.

A MEMOIR OF REV. ELSHA MITCHELL, D. D., LATE PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY, MINERALOGY, AND GEOLOGY, IN THE UNIVERSITY OF N. C.

THE New Edition of Devereux & Battle's Law Reports, Vol. I. RECEIVES the approval of those who have examined it.

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T. WADDILL HAS TAKEN CHARGE OF THE FAYETTEVILLE HOTEL. With efficient aid in the different departments, and his own supervision of the entire Establishment, he hopes to give satisfaction to the Patrons of the House.

SHEMWEILL HOUSE, FAYETTEVILLE, N. C. East side of Green Street, a few doors North of the Market.

WAYNE HOUSE, GOLDSBORO, N. C. The undersigned announces to the public that he has taken charge of the above Establishment, and is prepared to accommodate his Board, by day, week or month.

FAYETTEVILLE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY. ASSETS \$230,325.28. THIS Company has been in operation more than five years, and has paid its losses, amounting to \$19,129.95, without any assessment increasing its members above 1 per cent.

Water Wheels! Water Wheels!! WE are now manufacturing VANDEWATER'S IMPROVED JONVAL TURBINE WATER WHEEL, for Mills and Factories of every description; and all those wishing to improve their water power will find it their interest to address us by letter, stating the number of feet, head and fall, their usual amount of water; the kind of machinery to be driven. We can then give them prices of wheel, or wheels, or shaft, or mill, or mill-gear, for warranted to do a certain amount of work.

Notice to Soldiers' Widows. THE Widows of Mexican Soldiers, and the Widows of Soldiers who died in service in the war of 1812, can have their pensions continued by calling on the undersigned, Congress having made additional provision for them.

THE LIVER INVIGORATOR! COMPOUNDED ENTIRELY FROM GUMS, IS ONE OF THE BEST PURGATIVES AND LIVER MEDICINES now used, and is as safe and as reliable, as any other medicine of the kind.

HOUSE, LOT AND NEGRO. THE undersigned wishing to close up their old business, offer for sale the HOUSE and LOT on Baymont, formerly occupied by Major Gilmore.

Notice.—Negroes Wanted. THE farmer and citizens of the Counties of Duplin, Wayne, Johnston, Harnett, Moore, Cumberland, Robeson, Bladen, Columbus, Brunswick, New Hanover, and Sampson:

WANTED. NEGROES for a Mississippi plantation, men, boys, & girls, and some good families.

LAND FOR SALE. I OFFER for sale 640 Acres of LAND, lying on the West side of Cape Fear River, two miles below Fayetteville, and extending from the river into the sandhills.

ALABAMA LAND FOR SALE. THE Subscriber offers for sale THIRTY-FIVE HUNDRED ACRES of Land in as healthy a section as there is in Alabama.

LAND FOR SALE. JOHN T. GILMORE now offers for sale a portion of 14 his swamp lands in the county of Cumberland about 14 miles below Fayetteville, and about 14 miles East of the Cape Fear River.

LANDS FOR SALE. I OFFER for sale about 6000 Acres of Pine Lands near Fayetteville, containing an immense quantity of Mill Timber, and a number of Turpentine Boxes, and several new tasks may be cut.

Valuable Plantation FOR SALE. THE Subscriber offers for sale the PLANTATION just below the mouth of Liles Creek, in Catawba county, near Lewis Ferry on the Catawba river.

Turpentine! Turpentine!!! 80,000 TURPENTINE BOXES on and near the Wilmington and Norfolk Railroad, about 5 to 6 miles from Fayetteville, will be rented on good terms to any person who will take them up.

690 ACRES OF LAND FOR SALE. THE Subscriber offers for sale the above quantity of Land, situated in a healthy neighborhood, three miles from the Wilmington & Charlotte Railroad, and four from the Wilmington & Norfolk Railroad.

THE LARGEST MANUFACTORY IN THE STATE. THE Subscriber begs leave to return his thanks for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to him, and informs the public that he has now and will continue to have an increased force of experienced Saddle and Harness Makers, whose work he will warrant, and that he is prepared to offer to the public a large and varied assortment of every thing kept in his line.

O. HOUSTON. I WOULD inform his friends and former customers that he may be found 2 doors below the Four Bank, and 4 doors above his old stand south side Person Street, where he intends to keep an hotel.

NEW FALL AND WINTER DRY GOODS. ALEX. JOHNSON, Jr. HAS received and is this day receiving, a large and desirable STOCK OF GOODS.

SECOND FALL STOCK FOR 1858! STARR & WILLIAMS. Are now receiving their SECOND SUPPLY of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods.

NEW GOODS. THE Subscriber adopts this method of informing their friends (and the public generally) that they are now receiving into store a very large and general

NEW AND CHEAP GOODS. JAMES KYLE Has received a Large and General Supply of DRY GOODS, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Bolted Clothing, &c.

STATIONERY. In addition to our present stock we are receiving 150 Reams Paper, CAP LETTERS, BATH LETTERS.

Carolina City, N. C. THE Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad being now completed to Beaufort Harbor, I have determined to locate at Carolina City for the purpose of doing a Forwarding and General Commission BUSINESS.

A PROCLAMATION. By his Excellency, THOMAS BRAGG, Governor of North Carolina. WHEREAS, it has been represented to me that one Archibald McDougall, late of the County of Cumberland, did on the 27th day of February last, in said County, kill and murder one Thomas Munroe, and that the said McDougall is a fugitive from justice, and has escaped beyond the limits of this State.

NEW BOOKS. BROWNLOW & PEYNE'S Discussion on Slavery, &c. IN 2 Vols. Paper, 25 cents.

Devereux's Kinney's Blackstone, reduced to Questions and Answers, upon the plan of Kinney's Blackstone, one Volume; Drake on Attachment, for sale by E. J. HALE & SON.

AT THE HOTEL CORNER. CALL AT THE MUSICAL STORE, where you will find FIDDLERS, FLUTES, PIPES, DRUMS, ACCORDIONS, HARPS, &c., &c.

North Carolina Readers. NUMBER 1 AND 2. PREPARED WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO THE WANTS AND INTERESTS OF North Carolina.

Rev. F. M. Hubbard, PROFESSOR OF THE LATIN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE IN THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA. NUMBER 3, CONTAINING A FAMILIAR HISTORY AND DESCRIPTION OF NORTH CAROLINA.

C. H. WILEY. NUMBER 3 is a new and revised edition of the North Carolina Reader, first published in 1851.

Coupons for sale. THE Western Rail Road Company have for sale in amounts to suit purchasers, \$20,000 of the Coupon Bonds of the County of Cumberland, bearing 7 per cent. interest, payable semi-annually on the 1st June and 1st of December, and running 20 years.

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Land for Sale. AT the Market House, on Tuesday of Cumberland County, March 3th, will be sold on a credit of 6 and 12 months, (interest from day of sale), 418 ACRES OF LAND, situated about 4 miles North of Fayetteville and adjoining the lands of Messrs. W. B. Wright, Jas. Huske, E. Barge, J. W. Sandford, J. T. Gilmore, J. W. Mckay, Hugh Gilmore and R. Wooten.

T. C. & B. G. WORTH. Dealers in Lime, Plaster, Hair, Cement, Land Plaster, Roman Cement, Manilla, Cotton, Gunny, &c.

J. CARLETON, MERCHANT TAILOR. 127 Fulton St, New York. (LATE KNOWLES & CARLETON.)

FOR SALE. 2000 CATAWBA GRAPE VINES; 100 Black Huckleberry Do.; 500 BUSH ORANGE Do.; 100 NORWAY SPRUCE; 100 MAGNOLIAS; 100 TREE BOX; 100 PEAR TREES, extra quality; 100 CHERRY Do.; 100 BUSH DO. Do. Do. Do.

LIME. 400 CASKS malden Lime, for sale very low, for 400 farming purposes; 100 ditto, for plastering and brick-laying.

For Sale. A FEW Bbls. Northern POTATOES, of the most approved quality for planting. Apply to B. ROSE, 92-31.

Butter, Cheese and Crackers. FERRIS'S Golden Butter; 25 Boxes State Cheese; 10 Bbls. Soda and Butter Crackers.

Corn and Whiskey. 1000 BUSHES good White Corn; 150 Bbls. Whiskey; 20 " Apple Brandy; 15 " N. E. Rum.

Cider Vinegar, for sale by W. H. CARVER, 38.

A Few Barrels. CHOICE OLD APPLE BRANDY, suitable for making wine and putting up brandy fruit.

The Sociable, or 1001 Home Amusements: The Autocrat of the Breakfast Table; Letters of Lola Montes; Chronicles of the Bastille, illustrated; The Magician's Own Book; Living and Loving; Livingstone's Travels; Live and Learn; The Power of Prayer, by Prime School Books, &c., &c.